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NEW SPRING LAKE SCHOOL IS IN USE

**Pupils Begin New Year By
Taking Up Studies In
\$180,000 Structure.**

SPRING LAKE, Jan. 2.—A dream that had been on the minds of members of the board of education, Professor H. W. Mountz and all residents of the boro, came to a reality this morning when boys and girls, laden with books, pencils and tablets, greeted their teachers at the new school building on Tuttle avenue.

The construction of the new school building was started by Contractor Horace H. Moore almost a year ago and when the students and faculty departed from the old structure on Warren and Fifth avenues at the be-

ginning of the annual midwinter holiday season, they took with them all their belongings and bade farewell to the building which had housed them and those who had passed thru the eight grades in years gone by. The kindergarten pupils, who, because of lack of space in the old schoolhouse, had studied in an improvised class room in No. 1 fire house on Fifth and Passaic avenues, vacated that building also when the holidays began, and they, too, found modern and spacious quarters in the new building at the opening of this morning's session.

Massive in its appearance, modern in every detail, the new school building stands out conspicuously among educational institutions in Monmouth county, according to a recent statement here by Assistant Commissioner of Education Charles J. Strahan, because of its quality and the cost of its construction, which was in the neighborhood of \$180,000. The new building faces Tuttle avenue and lies midway between Fourth and Fifth avenues, thus allowing a spacious plot of ground on both the east and west side.

The building is of fireproof construction. An up to date gymnasium occupies the ground floor, as also do the primary classes. Besides adequate class rooms, the building contains a spacious auditorium, a library, teachers' rest room and principal's office. The heating and ventilation systems are of modern type.

The school faculty consists of: H. W. Mountz, principal, seventh and eighth grades; Helen P. Witherow, sixth; Helen Haveps, fourth and fifth; Gladys L. Newman, second and third; Amyetta Conover, subprimary and first.

The old school building has been secured by the Spring Lake lodge of Masons, who will remodel and transform the structure into a modern temple. The lodge met recently for the first time in their new quarters and elected officers for the ensuing year as follows: F. F. Schock, W. M.; W. A. Fritz, S. W.; E. B. Stillwell, J. W.; George M. Height, treasurer; E. W. Bailey, secretary; Rev. B. C. Lippincott, chaplain; Campion Dangler, S. D.; John H. Young, J. D.; B. Stanley Brown, S. M. of Co.; Edward E. Hayes, J. M. of C.; A. J. Brown, S. S.; E. V. Patterson, jr. J. S.; Rev. B. C. Lippincott, proxy; B. H. Bur-